GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PS – PR and RD Department – Allegations of irregularities/misappropriation of Govt., funds took place in (a) Execution of works and (b) Office transactions in PR Division, Paderu – Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri K.Venugopal, the then MEO, Athreyapuram, East Godavari District and Sri P.Prabhakara Reddy, the then SE, PR, Kakinada (now retired) – WSDs /dated acknowledgments submitted –Appointed Inquiry officer and Presenting Officer – Change of Inquiry officer - Orders – Issued.

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PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 355 **Dated: 07-05-2019**

Read the following:

1. From the DG, V&E Deptt., VR No.129(390/V&E/E1/08), Dt.07.08.2008.
2. G.O.Rt.No.1170, PR&RD (Vig.II) Deptt., Dt.16.07.13.
3. G.O.Rt.No.1172, PR&RD (Vig.II) Deptt., Dt.16.07.13.
4. G.O.Rt.No.1173, PR&RD (Vig.II) Deptt., Dt.16.07.13.
5. G.O.Rt.No.1174, PR&RD (Vig.II) Deptt., Dt.16.07.13.
6. From Sri K.Venugopal, the then MEO, Athreyapuram, WSD, Dt.13.11.2013.
7. From Sri P.Prabhakara Reddy, the then SE, PR, Kakinada (now Retired), WSD, Dt. .05.2015.
8. From Sri S.Sudhakara Reddy, the then AE, RWS(Projects) (now retired), WSD, Dt.20.11.2013.
9. From Sri K.Satya Prakasa Rao, the then DEE, PR, Padeu (now retired), WSD, Dt.23.07.2015.
10. G.O.Rt.No.277, PR&RD(Vig.I) Department, Dt.19.03.2016.
11. G.O.Rt.No.278, PR&RD(Vig.I) Department, Dt.19.03.2016.
12. G.O.Rt.No.279, PR&RD (Vig.I) Department, Dt.19.03.2016.
13. From GA (COI-R) Department, U.O.Note.No.01/COI-R/2018-7, Dt.03.01.2018.
14. G.O.Rt.No.64, PR&RD (Vig.I) Department, dt.29.01.2018.
15. U.O.Note.No.15/COI-R/2019-4, GA (COI-R) Department, Dt.27.03.2019.

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ORDER:-

In the GO 12th read above, Government have appointed Dr.Prem Chand, COI, General Administration (COI) Department, as Inquiry officer to conduct common enquiry into the charges framed against i) Sri P.Prabhakara Reddy, then Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Kakinda, now retired, ii) Sri K.Venugopal, the then Mandal Engineering Officer, Athreyapuram, East Godavari District, under Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 and to conduct fact finding enquiry against i) Sri S.Sudhakara Reddy, then Assistant Engineer, RWS(Projects) and ii)Sri K.Satya Prakasa Rao, the then Deputy Executive Engineer (Retd), so as to recover the amounts from them under RR Act, if any misappropriation is established, in respect of allegations of irregularities/misappropriation of Govt., funds took place in (a) Execution of works and (b) Office transactions in PR Division, Paderu. Further, the case was reassigned to Sri P.K.Sarangi, IFS, Commissioner of Inquiries, vide reference 14th read above.

2. GA (COI-R) Department, in the reference 15th read above, have submitted that GA (SC.C) Department issued orders placing Dr.P.Lakshmi Narasimham, IAS, Secretary to Govt.(HRM & Ser.), G.A.D., Commissioner of Inquiries in FAC of the post of COI, in place of Sri P.K.Sarangi, IFS (Retd), the then Commissioner of Inquiries, A.P., Velagapudi. The case No.33/COI-PKS/2018 (44/2016), in respect of allegations of misappropriation of funds, which is dealt by Sri P.K.Sarangi, IFS (Retd), the then COI, is reassigned to Dr.P.Lakshmi Narasimham, IAS, Secretary to Govt.(HRM & Ser.), G.A.D., Commissioner of Inquiries (FAC) for further processing of the case. Therefore,

they requested to issued necessary orders reassigning the above case from Sri P.K.Saranagi, IFS(Retd), the then COI to Dr.P.Lakshmi Narasimham, IAS, Secretary to Govt.(HRM & Ser.), G.A.D., Commissioner of Inquiries (FAC) for taking further necessary action in the matter.

3. Accordingly, Government hereby appoint Dr.P.Lakshmi Narasimham, IAS, Secretary to Govt.(HRM & Ser.), G.A.D., Commissioner of Inquiries (FAC) as Inquiring Authority, under Rule 20(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 in place of Sri P.K.Saranagi, IFS(Retd), the then COI and he is also requested to take up the inquiry from where it was left and also obtain the records etc., from the General Administration (COI-PKS) Department.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR&RD)

To
Dr.P.Lakshmi Narasimham, IAS, Secretary to Govt.(HRM & Ser.), G.A.D., Commissioner of Inquiries (FAC).
The individuals through Engineer in Chief, Panchayat Raj, Vijayawada.

Copy to:

The Registrar, Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department.
The Engineer in Chief, Panchayat Raj, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
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SECTION OFFICER